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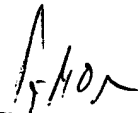
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In view of the papers filed 12 October 2005, it has been found that this nonprovisional application, as filed, through error and without deceptive intent, improperly set forth the inventorship, and accordingly, this application has been corrected in compliance with 37 CFR 1.48(b) and 37 CFR 1.48(c). The inventorship of this application has been changed by the deletion of Juerg Zimmermann, Bertrand Sutter and Hans M. Buerger and by the addition of Pekka Hayry.

The application will be forwarded to the Office of Initial Patent Examination (OIPE) for issuance of a corrected filing receipt, and correction of Office records to reflect the inventorship as corrected.

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